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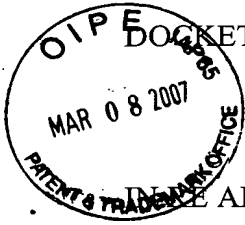
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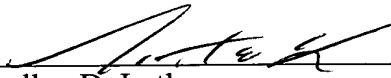
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In accordance with the provisions of Rule 322 of the Rules of Practice, which  
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issue a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent.

In light of the fact that the errors were the fault of our office and the U.S. Patent and  
Trademark Office, the required fee of \$100 is enclosed. The requested corrections are listed  
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Column 13, line 60, change "a2" to -- $\sigma^2$ --.  
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